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N. 2827.

SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1891.

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THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK
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AUTHORISED CAPITAL \$1,000,000.
PAID-UP CAPITAL \$50,000.

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THE STANDARD
SCOTTISH LIFE OFFICE OF 64 YEARS
STANDING, AND ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST
AND MOST PROGRESSIVE OF THE PROV-
IDENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED
KINGDOM.

THE Standard has a long record of good
services to refer to; its Funds, annually
increasing, amount to \$7,000,000. The
Premiums are moderate; and all modern features
consistent with safety have been adopted.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
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INSURANCE COMPANY OF
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THE Undersigned are pleased to accept
FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on
favourable terms.

Current rates and a guaranteed Bonus equal
to that paid by the local Offices.

GEORGE R. STEVENS & Co.,
Agents.

No. 2, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1891.

THE TOKYO MARINE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED,
OF TOKYO.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL \$1,200,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents are prepared to accept first class
HULL RISKS at CURRENT RATES.

GEORGE R. STEVENS & Co.,
Hongkong, 1st April, 1891.

GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE
ASSURANCE COMPANY IN
LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company, are pre-
pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and
LIFE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.,
Hongkong, 1st July, 1890.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE
SOCIETY
OF THE
UNITED STATES.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 14th November, 1890.

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY
LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED \$1,000,000.

The above Company is prepared to accept
MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on Goods,
&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world
payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN,
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1891.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,
(LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000. 2833333333
EQUAL TO \$1,000,000.
RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
Lee Sing, Esq. LO YEE MOON, Esq.
LOU TSO SHOU, Esq.

MANAGER—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken
at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the
world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 19th December, 1890.

J. & R. HARVEY & Co.,
DUNDAS HILL DISTILLERY, GLASGOW.
Established 1770.

SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Finest Pure Malt Scotch Whisky.
O.H.M. Old Highland Malt Whisky.
F.O.S. Fine Old Scotch Whisky.
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MESSRS. HARVEY & Co.'s Pure Malt
Whiskies have for over fifty years com-
manded the largest sale in the English Market
OF ANY WHISKY made in Scotland, and
being thoroughly matured in Sherry Wood are
very mild and mellow, and are confidently
recommended where a Pure, Wholesome Spirit
is desired.

Over one million Gallons produced annually
For Prices and Samples, apply to

G. RENNIE STEWART,
12, D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.
Agent for China and Japan.

Hongkong, 21st August, 1891.

Intimations.

W. BREWER

HAS JUST RECEIVED

O LIVER Wendell Holmes' Works, complete
6 vols.
Year Book of Medical Treatment, 1891.
Booth's in Dark England, cheap ed.
Encyclopaedia of Classical Quotations 9 vols., \$3.75
Ventilation by Buchan.
Rosser's How to find the Stars.
Encyclopaedia of Whist.
Cavendish, Pole, Walker, and Clay on Whist.

W. BREWER,
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, 14th April, 1891.

Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.

CHIMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.

THE HONGKONG

DISPENSARY.

(Established A.D. 1841.)

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS,
ANALYTICAL,
FAMILY, DISPENSING, and GENERAL
CHEMISTS.

PERFUMERS.

PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.

SEEDSMEN.

WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS,
CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

Manufacturers of

AERATED WATERS

By Steam Machinery.

This being THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY of

our Firm, and THE JUBILEE YEAR of the Colony,
"THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY having been
Established A.D. 1841," we take the opportunity

to thank our friends for their support during
the last 50 years, and tender them the assurance
of our best services in the future as in the past.

We shall continue to import DRUGS, CHEM-
ICALS, and GOODS of every kind of the BEST
QUALITY ONLY as heretofore, at prices that will

be found to compare favourably with local rates,
and in many instances with those ruling at
home.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI,
24, Nankin Road.

BOTICA INGLEZA, MANILA,
Escolta, 14.

THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON;
Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW.

THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENSIN.

LONDON OFFICE,
106, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
21st January, 1891.

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VICTORIA L. CHAPTER

No. 525.

A REGULAR CONVOCATION of the
above Chapter, will be held in the FREE
MASON'S HALL, Zetland Street, on TUESDAY,
the 26th inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely.
Hongkong, 16th April, 1891.

ZETLAND LODGE

No. 525.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above
named Lodge will be held in the FARMERS'
HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY,
the 1st May, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely.
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
Hongkong, 22nd April, 1891.

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY.

Calling at Colombo if sufficient Indemnity offered.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"GWLIOR"

Captain J. F. Jephson, will leave for the above
places on WEDNESDAY, the 29th inst., at
Noon.

E. L. WOODIN,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1891.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND
PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

THE Company's Steamship

"CHINGTU"

A. Hunt, Commander, will be despatched as
above on TUESDAY, the 6th May.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the
Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer.
First Class Saloon and Cabins are situated for-
ward of the Engines. Second Class Passengers
are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating
Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions
during the entire voyage. A duly qualified
Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWINE.

Agents.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1891.

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"THAMES"

Captain W. A. Scaton, R.N.R., will leave for

the above place about 24 hours after arrival

here with the Outward Mails.

E. L. WOODIN,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1891.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship

"PATHAN"

Captain Roy, will be despatched as above on
or about the 25th Inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 18th April, 1891.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI
AND KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"ANCONA."

Captain W. D. Mudie, will leave for the above
places on SATURDAY, the 2nd May, at DAY-
LIGHT.

E. L. WOODIN,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA
(FLORIO AND RUBATTINO
UNITED COMPANIES).

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ,
PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA,

ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG,
PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK
SEA AND BALTIK PORTS;</

Intimations.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,
L I M I T E D ,
DISPENSING CHEMISTS, &c.

CHEMISTS AND AERATED WATER
MANUFACTURERS.

DAKIN'S
SELTZER WATER,

CONTAINS THE TRUE SELTZER SALTS.

Makes a more palatable drink with spirits
than Soda Water.

NO LOWERING TENDENCY.

IN LARGEST SIZE BOTTLES,
CENTS 50 PER DOZEN.

(Telephone, No. 60.)

No. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL,
Hongkong, 13th April, 1891. [37]

BY APPOINTMENT.

WINES AND SPIRITS.
A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED
WATERS.

Our New Factory has been recently refitted
with automatic Steam Machinery of the
latest and most approved kind, and
we are well able to compete in
quality with the best
English Makers.

The purest ingredients only are used, and the
utmost care and cleanliness are exercised
in the manufacture throughout.

LARGE BOMBAY
" SODAS "

We continue to supply large bottles as
heretofore, *free of Extra Charge*, to those of
our Customers who prefer to have them to the
ordinary size.

COAST PORT ORDERS,
whenver practicable, are despatched by first
steamer leaving after receipt of order.

FOR COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and
placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and
the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties,
when received in good order.

Courier or Order Books supplied on application.

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is,
"DISPENSARY, HONG KONG,"
And all signed messages addressed thus
will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always
kept ready in Stock:

PURE AERATED WATERS
SODA WATER
LEMONADE
POTASHE WATER
LITHIA WATER
SELTZER WATER
SARSPARILLA WATER
TONIC WATER
GINGER ALE
GINGERADE.

No Credit given for bottles that look dirty
or greasy, or that appear to have been used
for any other purpose than that of Containing
Aerated Water, as such bottles are never used
again by us.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED,
Hongkong, China, and Manila. [5]

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1891.

TELEGRAMS.

MORE PORTUGUESE AGGRESSION.
BRITAIN DEMANDS EXPLANATION.

LONDON, April 23rd.

The Marquis of Salisbury has demanded an explanation from Portugal regarding the seizure of the steamer *Agnes*. He awaits a reply before deciding on what action will be taken.

The political position of Portugal is considered
to be critical.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

"THE CONTRABANDISTAS" will make their last
appearance at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, this
evening.

STEAMERS are leaving Amoy almost daily laden
with Chinese passengers for Singapore and the
Straits Settlements.

Mr. J. M. FLURY takes charge of the
Netherlands Consulate General at the Singapore
instead of Mr. G. Lavino, absent on leave.

The Clarewitch, on board the *Pladwostock* and
accompanied by an escort of two Russian war
vessels, passed Chinkiang on the night of the
17th inst., en route to Hankow.

For the sake of the souls of the "poor" heathens,
which have lately gone sadly astray, we rejoice
to learn that the Rev. L. C. Biggs has returned
from leave of absence, and has resumed duty as
Colonial Chaplain at Penang.

We are informed by the agent of the Companhia
Maritima Asiatica that the steamship *Independencia*
with her 650 emigrants arrived at
Salina Crux on the 22nd of April, all well,
making the passage in 45 days.

Some very interesting correspondence between
the Unofficial Members of the Legislative
Council and Governor des Voeux on the vexed
question of the increase in official salaries, will
be found in another part of this issue.

At the Police Court recently, Interpreter (to a
Portuguese witness in an assault case)—"Are
you a Christian or a Roman Catholic?" Witness
—"What?" Interpreter—"Take the Book,
please." And a smile went round the Court.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH.—The Mission
steam-launch *Day Spring* will call alongside
vessels hoisting code pennant C between 9 and
10.30 a.m. on Sunday to convey men ashore to
the 11 o'clock service, returning about 12.30.

DOLLARS and Sense.—Mamma—Marry him, my
dear; he is worth a million dollars. Daughter
—But, mamma, he hasn't got any sense.
Mamma—That's all right, dear. You take care
of the sense and the dollars will take care of you.

THE Spring Meeting of the Shanghai Race Club
will commence on Monday next. For some
extraordinary reason, which we are quite unable
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Caldwell appeared for the prosecutor, who bore
severe marks. This is "free labour" all the
world over.

WHAT is the deepest depth of ignorance?"
was the question put by a well-known local
philosopher to three cronies at the base of the
Hongkong Hotel yesterday. "It is the crass
ignorance displayed by a Hongkong Government
official when he is asked for any information
regarding the working or details of the special
department which he is supposed to direct,"
was the prompt reply of an ubiquitous newspaper
man who was in the crowd, and it was
unanimously agreed that a correct solution had
been arrived at.

PRIVATE G. WALLACE, of the A. and S. High-
landers, committed suicide this morning in a
sergeant's bunk at Victoria Barracks, by shooting
a bullet in the mouth with a Martini-Henry rifle.

The deceased had been subject to fits for some
considerable time, and about a year ago fell
from a veranda during one of the fits. He was
a single man, and about 24 years of age and had
been in the Regiment about six years. His
funeral took place this afternoon with military
honors, and a magistrate inquiry into the cir-
cumstances will take place at the Police Court
on Tuesday afternoon.

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North China Insurance Co., Limited, was held
in Shanghai on April 20th. There was a large
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seconded by Mr. F. H. Bell, the Report and
Accounts as presented, were unanimously passed;
and on the proposition of Mr. A. Anderson,
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THE erudit musical critic of the *Daily Press*,
in "doing" the concert given at the City Hall
on Thursday night, remarks that "the impression
created by Mr. Grace's singing is far more
striking than what might be made in the case
of a singer whose vocal powers were of superior
degree, but whose declamation and enunciation
were inferior." Now, what does all that mean?

THE following are the returns of population for
the following Settlements, as ascertained by the
census taken on the night of Sunday, April 5th—

1881. 1886. 1887. 1888. 1889.
Singapore 97,131 136,961 168,581
Penang & Pro. 18,000 22,000 23,000 24,000 25,000
Vice-Regality 27,116 32,470 36,036

Total 134,000 171,000 201,000 221,000 228,616

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MR. E. W. MELLIAND, Hon. Treasurer of the
Alice Memorial Hospital, begs to acknowledge
with thanks the following donations to the funds
of the hospital:—

G. C. Anderson, Esq. \$10
Messrs. Scheele & Co. 10
A. G. Gordon, Esq. 5
S. D. Seina, Esq. 5

THE "Ida Poll Rosa" Operatic Concert Com-
pany opened at Singapore on the 17th inst. In
Dontzetti's "Don Pasquale," The *Straits Times*
says that "for high-class, vocal talent
the *Ida Poll Rosa* Co. will rank amongst
the best artists who have ever visited Singapore."
That is a very good introduction should these
wandering minstrels make up their minds to
visit Hongkong.

THE *Heungshan* left here at 5 o'clock this after-
noon for St. John's Island, via Macao, with a
cargo of pilgrims anxious to pay the customary
annual reverence to the manes of the late
launched St. Francis Xavier. If there should
happen to be a bit of a sea on between Macao
and Sanchoan, as is most probable, the pilgrims
will have a lively time of it, as the *Heungshan*
is a daisy in a seaway.

WE don't pretend to answer legal questions
in this journal, but can nevertheless inform
our readers that, as we interpret the law on the
subject, a man is not liable to prosecution in
England for marrying his deceased wife's sister.
The penalty is simply deprivation of legal rights.
But for the opposition of the mad-headed Bench
of Bishops, this ridiculous and utterly meaningless
law would have been amended years ago.

AT the Harbour Master's Office this morning
before Comd. Hastings, R.N., Acting Marine
Magistrate, Edward Williams, winchman of the
British steamer *Gwadar*, was charged with
disobeying lawful orders on board the steamer
yesterday. Capt. J. F. Jephson said the defendant
signed articles in Bombay about three
weeks ago and yesterday he refused duty,
wishing to go ashore last Sunday and did not
return till Wednesday. The master had logged
him for his absence and he understood he was
to be paid off on Thursday, in consequence of
which he refused to do any more work. His
Worship sentenced him to seven days' imprisonment
and ordered his discharge from the ship.

ONE of the latest applications of electricity to
dentistry has been exhibited in England in the
shape of an apparatus destined to effect a
revolution in certain kinds of work, called the
dental vibrator. By means of this most simple
apparatus it is said that the extraction of teeth is
rendered actually as well as nominally painless.
The principle of the operation is that a rapidly
interrupted current is allowed to pass through
the body of the patient, who grasps a handle in
each hand, while a third connection is made to
the forces so that a shunt of the current passes
through the teeth. There is little doubt that
this method of extraction will supersede extraction
under the anaesthetics hitherto used.

MR. ALEXANDER YOUNG, for the past
twenty years foreman carpenter in the
employment of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock
Company, principally at Kowloon Docks
left here on Thursday in the steamship
Zeffre to assume charge of the Manila Patent
Slip. Mr. Young has, during his long term of
service with our local Dock Company, proved
himself a most useful and reliable man, and as
he is a thorough master of his business, it is
very little doubt that he will have a
successful career in his new sphere of action.
He certainly carries with him the good wishes of
his numerous friends in this colony, and their
name is legion. A man who has hosts of friends
and no enemies is a rarity indeed in this age of
wholesale back-biting. Aise Young occupies
that enviable position.

THE best part of life, according to a writer in
The Herald, is in front of the mass of forty. If he is
anything of a man, the work he will do will be
done with the hand of a master, and not of a raw
apprentice. The trained intellect does not see
"men as trees walking," but sees everything
clear and in just measure. Trained temper does
not rush at work like a blind bull at a haystack,
but advances with the calm and ordered pace
of conscious power and deliberate determination.
To no man is the world so new and the
future so fresh as to him who has spent the
early years of his manhood in striving to under-
stand the deeper problems of science and life,
and who has made some headway towards under-
standing them. To him the commonest things
are grand and wonderful, both in themselves and
as pages of a beautiful and intelligent whole.
Such a thing as staleness in life and its duties he
cannot understand. Knowledge is always opening
out before him in wider expanses and more
commanding heights. The pleasure of growing
knowledge and increasing power makes every
year of his life happier and more hopeful than
the last.

SOMETHING or other, cables Gordon Bennett from
London to the *New York Herald*, the British
maneuvre to drag the name of the Prince of Wales
into every social sensation. He is mentioned
now as the originator of the boom to restore Sir
Charles Dilke to his former position in society
and politics. The story goes that Dilke while
riding in Hyde Park was overtaken by the
Prince, who greeted him in his usual friendly
manner and accompanied him in his ride.
Six years ago Sir Charles was a constant visitor at
Marlborough House, the Prince taking much
pleasure in his company, but he dropped him
after the scandal. After this episode in the Park
Sir Charles and Lady Dilke called and wrote
their names again in the Prince's visitors' book
at Marlborough House.

OUR Singapore contemporary the *Straits Times*
says it is now hard to get good men as directors
of public companies in the Straits, as they "are
always retiring by reason of going home and
the like." It is likewise hard to get suitable
directors in Hongkong, and the men they
select are not always good, but rather on the
other side. This is a subject we intend to
thoroughly thresh out in the very near future.

A NEGRO when giving evidence in a Georgia
court was reminded by the Judge that he was to be
on the whole truth. "Well, yes sir, boss," said
the dusky witness. "I'se scared to tell de whole
truth for fear I might tell a lie." Judge (to
witness)—Do you know the nature of an oath?
Witness—Sah. Judge—Do you understand
what you are to swear to? Witness—Yes, sah;
I'se wear to tell de truf. Judge—And what
will happen if you do not tell it? Witness—
I'spect our side'll win de case, sah.

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To be Let.

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NOS. 9 & 11, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
ROOMS in College Chambers
No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET.
OFFICES and CHAMBERS in Connaught
House, Queen's Road Central.
OFFICES in Victoria Buildings.
No. 2, PEDDER'S HILL.
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By Command, W. M. DEANE,
Acting Colonial Secretary
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 11th April, 1891. 160

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